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MEMORANDUM FOR: THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Telephone Call with [REDACTED]

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1. [REDACTED] called 9 August to say that [REDACTED] will not be able to meet the original production schedule of the IR communication units. This has been due to difficulties in obtaining necessary parts and materials and delay incurred in the fabrication of certain parts in the model shop. The following is the new delivery schedule:

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- a. August 30 Delivery of 15
- b. September 15 Delivery of 4
- c. September 30 Remainder Delivered

2. [REDACTED] mentioned that he believed that the present funds would expire about the first of September. Due to a company rule, no work can be done on CPFF contracts without obligation of funds, therefore, work will have to be stopped if no further funds are obligated. He believed that \$10,000 would be sufficient to cover the project until the 30th of September. He was told that our contracting officer would be visiting his plant on 18 August and at that time the problems of time and money will be worked out. Inasmuch as [REDACTED] last letter, asking for additional money, was rather vague and not acceptable to APD, [REDACTED] was asked to prepare another letter asking for additional time and funds. This will then be discussed with the contracting officer upon his visit and appropriate action taken.

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3. It was mentioned that [REDACTED] is awaiting a shipment of coated mirrors from American Optical in Southbridge. They have experienced some difficulty in delivery and asked if APD might be able to expedite this order. The possibility will be looked into.

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4. The following personnel changes have occurred:

- a. [REDACTED]
- b. [REDACTED]
- c. [REDACTED] is handling the contractual end for [REDACTED] now.

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